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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Kathleen Wright

I feel like we just “fell back” and yet this weekend is Daylight Savings Time when we “spring ahead”.

“No winter lasts forever; no spring skips its turn.

April is a promise that May is bound to keep,
and we know it.”

Hal Borland

A meeting with Ed, our Grounds Keeper from GreensMasters, and members of LHCC was very informative and promising for the golfing season set to begin on March 15th, weather permitting. Players are eager to get back out on the course.

A Building and Grounds Sub Committee is investigating the tennis/pickleball courts in regard to their current condition and the best investment of funds moving forward. Tennis and pickleball can continue to be played except when contractors are working on the courts.

Our FOB entry system is being installed on the pool gate for entry, and there will be a button to push to open the gate when leaving the area. FOBs will be programmed from the master system, as well as opening and closing times. Recreation will post the rules and activities for the 2025 season.

ACC (Activities Coordinating Committee) is planning to reinstate the ACC evening meetings. Watch for announcements concerning speakers and planned meeting themes.

We have 7 Board members, each of us available to answer questions and listen to your concerns. A Code of Conduct for all members/residents/admin staff is posted on the office bulletin board. “We are committed to a culture where all are treated with respect and compassion.” Mutual respect and kindness should be our choice at all times, please.

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EDITORIAL

Carol Powell

April, my favorite month of the year! This has absolutely nothing to do with the fact that it's my birthday month, (of course not).

I don't mind rain, so weather-wise April is often close to perfect. The trees are turning green, and the flowers are waking up. We can look forward to the approaching spring, summer and fall months of 2025.

For many, Easter is one of those family get-together holidays. We miss the egg hunts, first with our own kids and then later with their kids. Happy memories. Spring tends to bring happy memories to my mind. I hope it does the same for you. So, from our home to yours, happy Easter, Passover or whatever holiday you celebrate at this time of year. Even if you are not celebrating, have a happy and healthy April.

As always, stay safe and most importantly, stay well



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Income & Expense Statement to Date as of 02/28/2025

Income:

401.0 Maintenance Fees	\$	296,140.00
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403.0 Rental Security Deposits	\$	-
406.0 Interest Operations	\$	197.98
408.0 Miscellaneous	\$	48.00
409.0 Deferred Income	\$	-
410.0 Participation Fees	\$	3,725.00
411.0 Room Rental	\$	-
412.0 Arch. Violations/Fine	\$	-
413.0 Pride Print Rebate	\$	250.00
450.0 LHCC Revenues	\$	11,228.82
Total Income:	\$	311,689.80

LHCC Sales Tax:

209.0 LHCC Sales Tax	\$	420.04
Total Sales Tax:		

Expenses:

500.0 Administration	\$	156,960.01
520.0 Residences	\$	56,729.19
540.0 Common Facilities	\$	31,589.79
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PET CORNER

COCO & SMOKEY

By Joanne Carbotti and Deborah Krause



Pictured above is Coco on the left and Smokey on the right; they are the best dogs. If you regularly take walks around Lions Head Boulevard South you will meet us taking our daily walk. Coco rides halfway around in her stroller and then walks the rest of the way home. Coco is an 8 year-old female Pug from a breeder in Burlington, NJ and when we first met, it was love at first sight! Smokey, who turned 6 years old in March, was rescued from an upstate New York owner who had an accidental litter of half Pug and half Boston Terrier puppies. He is a bit anxious but a very lovable male dog!

Each dog is unique and both have wonderful stories to tell; Coco likes riding in her stroller, cuddling, and eating. She is a content dog and as Pugs often do, she snores loudly. Smokey loves to play, and every time a new bag or box appears he searches for a new toy. The tag is immediately ripped off the toy and play begins; it is best not to mention the word “Chewy” around Smokey. Both dogs travel with us wherever we go; they love going on day trips and for overnight visits with friends. Both are well trained and friendly with people and other dogs. If you like dog calendars, you might want to check out the 2025 Calendar by “The Paw Print”; they chose Coco to be their “Pug of the Year” and her picture appears on the month of November.

Coco and Smokey bring unconditional love, and they are not judgmental; everyone is either a friend now or will soon be! We have found our dogs to be kind, and they do not expect anything except love in return. So do not be afraid to stop and say hello when you see us taking our daily walks around Lions Head Boulevard South.





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Everett, Susan.....47 Lauren Ln.
R/S Flinchum
Palumbo, Lillian.....70 Yorkwood Dr.
R/S Meagher

Deceased Residents - 2024-2025

Pantano, Sr., Frank.....88 Lions Head Blvd. S.
12/22/2024
Bella, Gloria.....49 Yorkwood Dr.
12/31/2024
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03/02/2025



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meet YOUR NEIGHBORS

Dot Berardinelli

By Deborah Krause



Dorothy “Dot” Berardinelli has lived in our LHS community for the past 39 years. Dot and her late husband, Frank, came to LHS because they liked the area, were fond of the available home models and liked the maintenance program. If you guessed that Dot is an original owner you are right! Dot and Frank moved into their brand new house in 1986. The picture below was taken on Garland; from the spot where her future home was to be built. You can see the Riviera Middle School as you look west. At that time no other homes, streets or trees obscured her view! Dot remembers how friendly the residents were and the helpfulness of everyone in management as they went through the construction process.



After watching her new home being built, Dot decided to become involved in her new community. She joined the Garden Club, Community Awareness, Golf, and Clubhouse Committee. In the early years of the community, Dot served as chair of the Garden Club and remembers working with members to develop many of the gardens/flowerbeds that LHS residents enjoy today. She was also active in the Women’s Golf Association and enjoyed organizing the annual Breast Cancer Golf Tournament. Dot remembers attending the 40th Anniversary of LHS in 2022 as a wonderful and well-attended celebration.

Dot has a wonderful circle of friends and family who visit her often. Over the years, she has learned that it is important to listen to, compromise with, and willingly share ideas with others. When Frank, Dot’s husband passed away, she was overwhelmed by all the support received from others. She thinks that there are a lot of good people in the world and that it is important for us to support one another. When asked what she hopes for, Dot said, “My hope is that people will learn to work out their problems and keep smiling”.

Dot encourages all new residents is to get involved in a club or committee that interests them; there are so many options! Dot says that volunteering in our community will help you understand the problems and potential solutions. There may not always be easy solutions to the problems, but you’re involvement gives you an opportunity to serve our community; a community that Dot has enjoyed and served for the past 39 years.

See Interest sheets for additional info



Lions Head South Men's Club

Events Schedule **2025**

PROPOSED SCHEDULE

Prices, dates and times subject to change

Please check the Lions Head South website frequently for additional details

- ♦ **March 15, Saturday— Dinner—Corned Beef, Cabbage, and More! Music too!**
Doors open 5:30PM, \$48 per person Final day for sale March 5
- ♦ **May 17, Saturday — Evening Bingo** Doors Open 6PM - \$10per person Free ticket with admission
- ♦ **June 12, Thursday — Men's Club Golf Outing** , Tee off 9AM with Lunch to follow \$10.00 each Golf or Just Lunch
- ♦ **June 21, Saturday — Monmouth Park Race Track** (10:00 to 6:00) Parking, admission and buffet with soft drinks included in private room and with betting window and elevator to main floor. Cash bar \$70 per person
- ♦ **July 16, Wednesday — Hawaiian Luau** Doors open at 5PM - \$45 per person in Lion's Den Final Sale Date July 6 - Only 100 tickets will be sold.
- ♦ **August 9, Saturday (Fun Day) — Ice Cream Gala** FREE at poolside for LHS Residents and Guests - Rain date Sunday, August 10 *No Tickets*
- ♦ **August 14, Thursday— Bob Scott, Theater and Dinner** 5:00PM - \$25 per person Final Sale Date August 11- Only 100 tickets will be sold
- ♦ **September 20, Saturday — Country Dinner w/Steve & Debbie,** *Doors Open 5PM \$45 per person* Final Sale Date Sept 10 - Only 100 tickets will be sold
- ♦ **October 18, Saturday — Evening Bingo** Doors open 6PM *Free ticket with admission - \$10 per person*
- ♦ **November 22, Saturday — Night At The Races & Beefsteak Dinner** Doors open 5:30PM—\$45 per person Final Sale Date November 17 - Only 100 tickets will be sold
- ♦ **December 9, Tuesday — Men's Club Holiday Dinner** at the Clubhouse \$55 for guests BYOB Final Sale Date November 17 - Only 100 tickets will be sold
- ♦ **December 13, Saturday — Breakfast With Santa-** Changes under consideration - More information to follow

LIONS HEAD SOUTH ASSOCIATION

2025 CALENDAR OF SCHEDULED POOL EVENTS

POOL OPENING – May 10th
POOL CLOSING – September 28th

POOL HOURS

Adults – 8:00 AM to 8:30 PM Daily

Children ages, 2 - 15 – 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM and 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM
Sunday through Friday

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SEASON EVENTS

Pool Opening
May 10th

Sunday Fun Day
June 29th
July 27th
August 31st

Kids Day
July 12th

DJ at the Pool
June 29th
July 27th
August 31st

Pool Closing
September 28th
Residents and their guests are invited
Regular Pool Hours Apply

Badges are required at all times

1. **NO LIFEGUARD ON DUTY** Swim at your own risk.
2. All members/residents and guests must sign-in upon entrance to the pool area.
3. **THUNDER AND LIGHTNING:** When thunder occurs, all individuals must leave the pool area. The pool area will be reopened when conditions permit.
4. **FOR SAFETY REASONS** – Pool furniture must be kept at least six (6) feet from the edge of the pool.
5. Restrooms shall not be used as changing rooms. Dripping bathing suits and bare feet are not allowed in the clubhouse and restroom.
6. At all times members/residents and/or guests 16 or over must display numbered plastic badges for admission to the pool area.
7. Children 15 or under must be accompanied and supervised by a responsible adult and must be signed in. No child aged 2-15 will be allowed in the pool between 1pm and 5pm except on Saturdays, when they are allowed in the pool from 12pm – 5pm. Children under the age of 2 are not allowed in the pool at any time. Diapers are not permitted at any age.
8. Bathers must wear suitable bathing suits or swim wear. Cut-off pants or jeans are not permitted in the pool.
9. Flotation objects, such as inflatable tubes, kickboards, and flippers, are not permitted in the pool. Styrofoam belts and arm “swimmies” will be permitted in the pool when an adult is in the pool with the child.
10. Diving is not permitted at any time.
11. Jumping is not permitted at any time.
12. Snacks, plastic bottles and cans are permitted inside the pool area and must be consumed at a table. **NO GLASS OR ALCOHOL IS ALLOWED.** Picnic tables are available outside the pool area for those having sandwiches, subs, pizza, etc.

A charcoal grill is available for your use outside the pool area. A fire shovel and ash can are also provided. Please clean up after use.

Garbage and recyclables must be disposed of in the receptacles that are provided outside of the pool entrance.
13. No sports, including ball playing or horseplay, will be permitted in the pool area. Children may have dive toys in the shallow end of the pool. Running is not permitted in the pool area. Loud music is not permitted.
14. No animals, except for service animals, shall be allowed in the swimming pool enclosure. (N.J.A.C.8:26)
15. Smoking and “vaping” is permitted only at the end of the sidewalk in the parking area. Smoking and “vaping” are not permitted near the pool area or in any other sports area.
16. Chairs, tables and lounges are available to residents on first come basis. **THEY MAY NOT BE RESERVED.** Please bring chairs for your guests.
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Lions Head Boulevard - Total # 59

1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 21, 23, 51, 53, 55, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 111, 112

This is the list of homes to be painted in 2025, beginning in April (weather permitting).

Each resident will be responsible for making sure his or her home will be painted following instructions and requirements.

All wood must be painted white.

Residents will receive a 24-hour notice prior to painting of full and half houses.

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BUILDING & GROUNDS

Tia Katakozinos

We have celebrated the Spring Equinox and are now watching native birds return to trees which are beginning to bud. The grass is beginning to green, and flowers are beginning to bloom.

The Buildings & Grounds Committee is busy with all the activities involved with care and maintenance of our common properties and grounds. Buildings & Grounds committee members will soon be out and about performing the 'Spring Walk-throughs' to assess the condition of buildings, recreational areas and common grounds.

There are green survey stakes located behind the homes adjacent to common ground/green space, identifying the boundary of residents' property. The area behind these green stakes must be left in its natural state. Residents may not encroach into this space to extend gardens, may not clear the area or store personal items such as bird baths or outdoor furniture. Any concerns with trees in common areas should be reported to the Office and will be followed up by the Buildings & Grounds Committee.

Trees located between residents' properties are the responsibility of the homeowner. Issues related to trees on residents' properties should be addressed directly to the homeowner.

The painting of houses will be commencing soon. The 2025 schedule is listed in the March Lions Pride. This year's schedule includes homes on Lauren Lane and Lions Head Boulevard South. Painting includes original wood elements. Those that have been updated and replaced with vinyl products are not included in the painting contract.

IMPORTANT NOTE ** PLEASE NOTIFY THE OFFICE IF YOU DO NOT WISH TO HAVE ANY WOODEN ELEMENT ON YOUR HOUSE PAINTED.**

CLUBHOUSE COMMITTEE

Michael Voto

Hello, everyone. Spring is in the air. Finally, nice weather coming and we can begin to do outdoor things as well as indoor things. Hope everyone is enjoying the clubhouse and the different events and clubs that are utilizing this space.

As we do every month, the committee is trying to upgrade, fix, clean and organize the building. So far so good, everything is going smoothly. Remember, it's our clubhouse. Please help by putting everything back where you find it, and enjoy all of the available amenities.

COMMUNITY AWARENESS

Deb Rodgers

Hello, Lions Head South Residents.

I hope everyone is doing well.

Our first speaker will be at our April 14th Residents Meeting. Please come and listen to Officer Finelli of the Brick PD. She will bring the drug box and other materials. I hear they have been in the process of updating their presentation. I hope this will be an interesting evening of questions, answers and information.

Get your questions ready for our June 9th Resident's Meeting with Phillip Zimmerman from the Ocean County Veterans Service Bureau.

For our August 11th Residents Meeting, Mike Roche will talk about Mental Health and what is available to us seniors.

The County Connection Van is up and running. They will be here on the following Mondays 9am-3pm: April 21, May 12, June 16, July 12, August 18 and September 15. They will be in the Clubhouse parking lot. Anything that can be done at the County Connection in the Ocean County Mall can be completed when the van comes to our community. Any questions, please feel free to contact me.

The Town Wide Yard Sale is going to be early this year, May 17th. Registration is \$5 and time is 8am-2pm. As of the writing of this article, the link to signup online wasn't available, but should be shortly.

We will reach out to the Health Department and Hackensack Meridian Health to do another Health Fair either September or October.

On September 8th, we will be hosting Municipal Candidates Night. We have been talking about changing the format a little. Instead of coming up with questions, each candidate will be given 5 minutes to explain their platform. At the end, we will circle back to each candidate for them to do a 2-minute rebuttal. If you have questions for the candidates, please send them to me, LDeb10@aol.com.

If you're in the Clubhouse, look at our bulletin boards. We post a lot of information that may be of interest.

If you know of someone that would like to speak at one of our residents' meetings, please reach out to myself or one of our members.

That's all for now!! Enjoy the rest of your month!



COUNTRY CLUB

Phil DeCarlo

This message follows up on our year's planning and the implementation of several organizational changes. While we've made significant progress, we recognize that adapting to new processes requires time and adjustment. We anticipate a smooth transition and appreciate your patience and cooperation during this period.

The primary shift involves the delegation of irrigation and course maintenance responsibilities to the Buildings and Grounds Committee and an external partner. This strategic decision will allow our team to focus its expertise and resources on enhancing the overall golfing experience. For those who participated in the introductory meeting with our new ground maintenance provider, the details of this partnership should be clear. Our core mission remains unchanged: To provide high-quality golfing experiences for all members. We are excited to continue serving you and look forward to a successful season ahead.

The game is "GOLF"!

Best to all.

GARDEN CLUB

Chairperson Diane Chapin

Submitted by Carmela Ferraro

We've survived the long, dreary winter months and sunshine has come back out to play. The soil is thawing, and you're about to embrace gardening once again. April has finally arrived.

Our first meeting of 2025 was held on March 12. Because of our Pride deadline, I am unable to give a report. We'll catch up next month.

Cool-season annuals like pansies and violas can be potted up and no plant is too common to become a garden star. Maybe make this the year you celebrate easy, long-blooming winners like marigolds and zinnias.

If you prepared your gardens in the fall or last month, you are all set to go.

- Enrich the soil by the addition of compost, fertilizer or mulch where needed
- Trim forsythia and lilacs after bloom is gone
- Divide and transplant crowded perennials
- Deadhead tulips and daffodils but leave foliage to die naturally

REMINDERS:

- This year Arbor Day in New Jersey is celebrated on Friday April 25, the same day as National Arbor Day

in the United States. Plant a tree or support your local arboretum.

- Be aware the upcoming months of May and June are the greatest season for tick bites.
- When working outdoors, use precautions like wearing light clothing and check yourself carefully when returning inside. Also, protect yourself with sunscreen and try to utilize early morning hours to avoid the hot sun.

If you lost it or missed it, here is my favorite recipe for a homemade weed killer - easy to make, cheap, safe and it works.

Heat 1 quart of white vinegar (any kind)

Add 2 cups of Epsom salt (stir till all dissolved)

Add ¼ cup of dish soap (any kind)

When cool, transfer to a spray bottle and go to work. Great for weeds in cement cracks or between blocks. Larger weeds may need a second application.

Plans for the community Butterfly Garden are ongoing. Stay tuned. More in the next edition of Pride. But you can still help now. Remember to plant the only plant that supports the Monarch Butterfly – milkweed. If we each planted only one, our community would be adding to the National effort to save the Monarch. Be sure to check our bulletin board. Prepared by Lucy Coburn, it is beautifully done and has a great deal of important information about bees.

We are always looking for new members. You're invited to join us. We meet on the second Wednesday of the month, March through November. Dates of our monthly meetings can be found in the LHS Calendar. Our next meeting will be on April 9, at 10:30 in the Lion's Den.

Sudoku

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Answers on page 28

APRIL 2025 CALENDAR EACH WEEK DAY OF THE MONTH AS LISTED

<u>MONDAY</u>	<u>TUESDAY</u>	<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	<u>THURSDAY</u>	<u>FRIDAY</u>
		9:00 WGA – starts 4/30		9:00 Bowling
9:30-11:00 Ticket Sales		9:30-11:30 Acrylic Paint Class	11:00 Chair/Mat Yoga	
9:30-11:30 Watercolor class	1 & 7 cards/Mah jongg	1:00 Men's Indoor Shuffleboard	1:00 Women's Indoor Shuffleboard	
1:00 Crochet, Knitting & Needlework	1:00 Indoor Slingers Shuffleboard	1 & 7 cards	1:00 Crochet, Knitting & Needlework	
1:00 cards/Mah jongg				
7:00 LRC – 4/15				
	7:00 Rummy Cube			
GARBAGE	RECYCLE			
	4/9 & 4/23			

LAWN COMPLAINTS; Call TURFMASTERS
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SPRINKLER COMPLAINTS; Fill form out

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Federal Irrigation: 732-349-9905. After hour
 emergencies **ONLY: Tom Behrens: 718-757-4429**

RESIDENT'S ASSOCIATION MEETING –
 April 14th at 7:00 pm. Refreshments served.
 Guest Speaker: Officer Finelli – Brick Police
 Department. Medication Drop Box will be
 available.

ADMINISTRATION ACTIVITY OFFICE:

Hours: 8:00 – 1:30 p.m.

Administration Office Phone: 732-920-9099

	9:00 AM Bd of Trustees Mtg 3:00 PM Website 7:00 PM Resident's Association Mtg	11:00 AM Welcoming 3:30 PM Social	10:30 AM Security 11:00 AM Women's Club	10:00 AM Lions Pride Review	OFFICE CLOSED																																																																																												
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April 2025

Monthly Planner



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 9:00 AM Architectural	2 10:00 AM Women's Club - FOOD DRIVE	3	4	5 6:00 PM Social - Spring Fling
		GARBAGE	11:30 AM Men's Club			
6 2:00 PM MOVIE MATINEE	7 10:30 AM Buildings & Grnds	8 10:00 AM Women's Club Exec Bd 4:00 PM Recreation	9 10:00 AM Community Awareness 10:30 AM Garden Club 1:00 PM Clubhouse	10	11	
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The office maintains a list of contractors that have been recommended by residents for various types of work. Your comments and recommendations are helpful for future use by other residents. The Association accepts no responsibility for contractors hired.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE: To report a DEATH call Rose Szpara – 732-920-7898 or Barbara Garrabrant – 732-701-3260. To report an ILLNESS/HOSPITALIZATION call: Joyce Speziale – 732-701-3260. Please do not call the office.

BRICK SENIOR SHUTTLE: Provides no cost transportation Mon-Fri, 8 am-3 pm. Rides are first come, first served basis. A brief registration is required prior to using service. To schedule transportation call: 732-920-8686 between 9am & 11 am.



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LIBRARY

Janet Pedersen

Greetings, LHS! We, the members of the LHS Library Committee, are thrilled to see and hear how our fellow residents seem to be enjoying the current and varied collection of books in the clubhouse library. It is quite evident that our library is a valued and much utilized amenity of our community.

In order to help you make your selections, the committee has been including the copyright year on the colored dots on the spines of each book. This is to let you know how recently the book was circulated and aid you in determining if you possibly have already read the book or that it might be one you haven't enjoyed as yet. Also included on these dots are the first 3 letters of the author's last name to guide you in your selection, since the books are shelved in alphabetical order by these last names.

For our new residents and those who may not have had the chance to familiarize themselves with our wonderful LHS Lending Library, I would like to take this opportunity to explain our "colored dots" system...

Books with GREEN DOTS are MYSTERIES.

Books with ORANGE DOTS are FICTION.

Books with BLUE DOTS are BIOGRAPHIES.

Books with YELLOW DOTS are NON-FICTION.

Books with WHITE DOTS are LARGE PRINT books of ALL TYPES.

Our Library Committee hopes this information is helpful and send our wishes for "Happy Reading" to all.

MEN'S CLUB

Michael Voto

Hello, everyone. We had a great Saint Patrick's party; I am sure you know if you attended. It was a fun event for all, I hope. If you were not there, you should consider coming to one of our upcoming events in the next few months. It would be great to see more residents there. Also, as you know, after the first 2 weeks of ticket sales, you may bring guests. On May 17th, which is a Saturday evening, we have bingo. The doors open at 6 PM and bingo starts at 7 PM. The tickets will be \$10 each, including a free bingo card and lite snacks.

Moving ahead to June 12th, a Thursday, the Men's Club golf outing, tee off. The event will begin at 9 AM with lunch to follow. The cost is \$10 each. Golf or just lunch or both.

On June 21st, we have a special trip coming up. That's our Monmouth Park track event. It's \$70 and includes a full buffet, cash bar, private room, private ticket window, and

elevators to the 3rd floor location. Parking and admission are included. The hours are 10 AM to 6 PM. Hope to see you there.

Also, as you know, our mega fifty-fifty tickets are on sale. Last year's combined prizes equaled \$900, which was shared between two winners. Give it a shot. Maybe you can win some big cash. Tickets will be on sale until December when the drawing will be held at the residents' meeting.

Our Men's Club monthly meetings are very exciting. We offer a nice lunch, and time to visit with neighbors and friends. At every meeting there is a fifty/fifty drawing and a badge award drawing. We almost always have a guest speaker, please consider joining and supporting this great organization. As a member you will also receive free admission for our holiday party. We always have a good time.

RECREATION

Lynn Adams

The Recreation Committee is back to work for 2025 and is diligently planning a variety of recreational activities for everyone to enjoy. Here are the exciting events we have lined up so far:

Upcoming Events

- Outdoor Game Fun: Includes Bocce, Pickleball/Tennis, and Shuffleboard instruction and play.
 - Three Sunday Fundays to be enjoyed at our pool with DJ.
 - A dedicated Children's Pool Day with fun activities.
- More details about these events will be shared soon.

Available Recreational Activities

Our community offers a variety of indoor and outdoor activities and clubs for you to enjoy:

- Indoor Activities: Shuffleboard, billiards, ping pong, card tables.
- Fitness Center.
- Outdoor Activities: Pool, bocce, tennis, pickleball, and horseshoes (available again shortly).
- Off-site Activity: Bowling league.

Check out our recreation board for club information and sign up as well as the LHS website.

Call for Suggestions

We need your help to ensure our community makes the most out of these offerings. If you have any suggestions for events or instructional sessions that would benefit our community, please submit them in writing (we have a mailbox at the office) or better yet come join our committee.

Remember, this is our time to play, have fun, and make new friends!

SECURITY COMMITTEE

Maryellen Klotz

Happy Spring!

Just a few reminders that with tax season upon us it is important to be aware of scammers who are out in force with seniors as their prime target! Here are a few scary facts:

According to recent FBI data, senior citizens in the United States are scammed out of approximately \$3.4 billion each year, with the number of complaints and losses increasing steadily. The average senior victim loses around \$33,915 per scam!

Here are the three scams that top the list of complaints for seniors:

1. **Tech support scams.** In fact, when it comes to fraud committed against older adults, *tech support scams top the list*. Typically, a person's computer or phone screen will freeze or go blank. A pop-up message will appear with a phone number to dial for help. When the user calls it, the scammer on the other end will ask for permission to log on to the device remotely. This fake "tech support" representative also may demand a fee to repair the "issue." **SHUT DOWN COMPUTER**, WAIT 5 minutes and reboot - it should be gone - if not, shut down until you get it to a reliable repair person.

2. **Government impersonation scams.** Callers pretend to be from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Social Security Administration, or Medicare. They may threaten to cut off Social Security or Medicare benefits unless the person provides personal details. **HANG UP!** All correspondence with these agencies are via USPS - **NEVER** on the telephone.

3. **Financial services scam.** These cons work because they appear to come from a legitimate source: a bank, a mortgage company, or a debt collection agency using fake caller ID telephone numbers. **Hang up!** Call your bank or financial institution to verify if there is an issue - **NEVER** give personal information over the phone!

Even better than hanging up is to **not answer the phone at all and let it go to voicemail** - better to be safe than sorry!

A reminder that Brick Police Department will be present on the April 14, 2025 Residents' Meeting so join us for an evening of useful information and to answer any questions you may have - **REMEMBER** if you see something, call the non-emergency #732-262-1100.

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If April showers
should come your
way, they bring
the flowers that
bloom in May.

- Buddy de Sylva

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SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Lee Bruzaitis

We had a great time at our Potluck Dinner in February. Thanks to everyone for the fabulous food! We hope you'll join us for the following upcoming events. You can always check our webpage for updates and more details.

Spring Fling Dinner Dance April 12

It's not too late to get tickets for our Spring Fling Dinner Dance on Saturday, April 12 from 6-9PM. We will have live entertainment by the ShoreSyde Duo and a buffet dinner by our own Chef Mike Wiggins. The menu will include salad, baked ziti, sausage and peppers, chicken piccata, mixed vegetables, and dessert. Tickets are \$25 per person and will be sold March 31 and April 7. If you can't make it to ticket sales, please email me at leebruzaitis@gmail.com.

Cinco de Mayo Fiesta! May 4

Get your friends together and enjoy a fun evening at our Cinco de Mayo Fiesta on Sunday, May 4 from 5-8PM. We will have a taco bar from Sofia's Taqueria in Silverton, chips and salsa, dessert, and margarita setups (bring your own tequila). We will also have a DJ for your dancing pleasure. All this for just \$30 per person! Tickets will be sold Monday mornings April 7, 14, 21 and 28, as well as before the residents meeting on April 14 from 6:30-7PM.

SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

My name is Kenneth Rott. I am currently the head of what's called the Sponsorship Program. The Sponsorship program is a way that we have for local businesses to partner with our community. They pay between \$150 - \$300 a year to have their sign with their logo put on a panel on one of the holes on the golf course, hopefully you have seen them. They also get their name printed in our telephone directory and listed on our website. My "job" is to go around to the local businesses or email them to ask them to sign up. This program brings \$6000-\$ 9000 a year to the community to help offset some of the expenses. This is my 3rd year, and I am looking for someone to replace me. A person with a sales background would be preferable. If interested, please call me. My number is in our directory.

P. S. Please use our sponsors.

THE WOMEN'S CLUB

Deb Rodgers

Hi everyone,

Thank you to all who participated or helped with our March Bingo. As always, it was a great success.

For our April meeting we will be hosting our Sip & Paint Party. We have someone that will bring all supplies needed and help us paint a nice picture. You don't have to draw or have artistic ability (I do not). You can bring your own supplies and adult beverage, if you choose. We will supply lunch and of course dessert.

April 2, we will host our yearly Food Drive. We will be collecting on Wednesday April 2nd between 10am to 1pm, in the lobby of the Clubhouse. Please no perishables and no cans without pop tops. They do not have access to a can opener. Any questions, please call me.

If you haven't paid your dues, we will be collecting them at our next meeting. \$30 is a bargain in these hard times when everything is going up.

That's all for now, enjoy the rest of the month!

See Women's Club Flyer on page 14



Sudoku Answers

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THE RECIPE BOX

Sue Auer

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Thoughts of AIR FRYER cooking in the 1900's existed by combining AIR PRESSURE & ELECTRICITY! Moving forward in the 40's and 50's the electric oven was developed with a motor to circulate air for cooking frozen foods. Then CONVECTION OVEN popped into cooking history at a reducing cooking time by 30%. Today's MODERN "AIR FRYER" combines all > air pressure, electricity and motorized....and it has capabilities to cook RAW ingredients into HEALTHY & CRISPY fresh food dinners QUICK.

New Jersey fishing season begins in April we have the ability to buy fresh seafood at so many local markets.

The April SEAFOOD recipes were given by the owner of "The Crab Shack," Mantoloking RD. Brick!

FISH dry rub seasoning

Ingredients:

1 tsp each celery salt, smoked paprika
1/2 tsp. mustard powder
1/4 tsp. each black pepper, nutmeg, allspice
1/8 tsp. each ground clove, powdered ginger, chili powder
& ground cardamon

Directions:

Mix all together & store the mixture in an airtight container for months.

Flounder Italian Style

Ingredients:

4 med. size flounder filets
1 tsp. kosher salt
1/4 tsp. black pepper
4 tbsps. salted butter melted
2 tbsps. lemon juice
2 cloves garlic minced
1/2 cup of PANKO
1 tps. paprika
1 tbsps. ITALIAN seasoning
Olive oil spray

GARNISH FOR SERVING: 1/4 cup Parmesan cheese,
1/4 cup finely chopped parsely, 4 lemon wedges

Directions:

1. Prepare the air fryer basket lined with aluminum foil. Spray lightly with olive oil.
2. Sprinkle fish with kosher salt then rinse fillets & pat dry with paper towel. Place each fillet in the basket.
3. In a small bowl mix melted butter, lemon juice, garlic, Italian seasoning and panko. Sprinkle over fillets, then sprinkle with paprika.
4. AIR FRY at 350° for 8 -10 mins, until opaque.
5. Place in serving dish and sprinkle with parmesan cheese and parsley. Serve with lemon wedges on the side.

AIR FRYER Cinnamon Apples - recipe from Marie Sino

Ingredients:

2 large apples
2 tsps. unsalted butter
1 tsp. cinnamon
3 tbsps. pure maple syrup
2 tbsps. brown sugar
1/4 tsp. nutmeg
1 tsp vanilla extract

Directions:

1. Peel & core apples, slice into thick slices (approx. 1/2").
2. Combine in a mixing bowl, cinnamon, maple syrup, brown sugar, nutmeg & vanilla extract. Place apples on a plate and season with mixture.
3. Preheat air fryer basket to 350°.
4. Lightly grease the basket with butter and SINGLE layer the apple slices in the basket.
5. Air fry for 15-20 mins. After 7 mins. turn the slices over and reposition each slice for even cooking.
6. SERVE warm topped with ICE CREAM.

ENJOY the APRIL Recipe Box! If anyone has developed other AIR FRYER recipes, I would love to share them in future issues. It's always fun to use something new in the kitchen for a simple dinner!

Wishing everyone a HEALTHY, HAPPY & SAFE Spring season.

sauer1948@hotmail.com....to send recipes & ideas!





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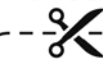
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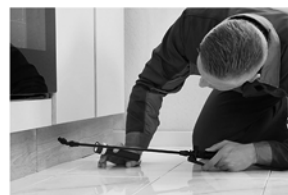
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MAY

May 7 Lawn Edging

May 8 Lawn Cutting

May 19 Lawn Cutting

May 29 Lawn Cutting

May ~ Fertilize w/dimension 1.5% 18-0-10

Will not be responsible for stress lawns.

Broadleaf weed control.

Do Not Water. Wait 1 day after application.

JULY

July 8 Lawn Edging

July 10 Lawn Cutting

July 21 Lawn Cutting

July 31 Lawn Cutting

July ~ Spot Spray Nutsedge

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SEPTEMBER

September 1 Lawn Cutting

September 11 Lawn Cutting

September 17 Lawn Edging

September 22 Lawn Cutting

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November

November 10 Lawn Cutting

November 26 Lawn Cutting

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APRIL

April 17 Lawn Cutting

April 17 Spring Cleanup

June

June 6 Lawn Edging

June 9 Lawn Cutting

June 19 Lawn Cutting

June 30 Lawn Cutting

June ~ Post emergent application

Dimension herbicide for crabgrass control.

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AUGUST

August 6 Lawn Edging

August 11 Lawn Cutting

August 21 Lawn Cutting

August ~ Fertilize 24-0-5

Water after application.

October

October 9 Lawn Cutting

October 20 Lawn Cutting

October ~ Fertilize 30-0-10 50%

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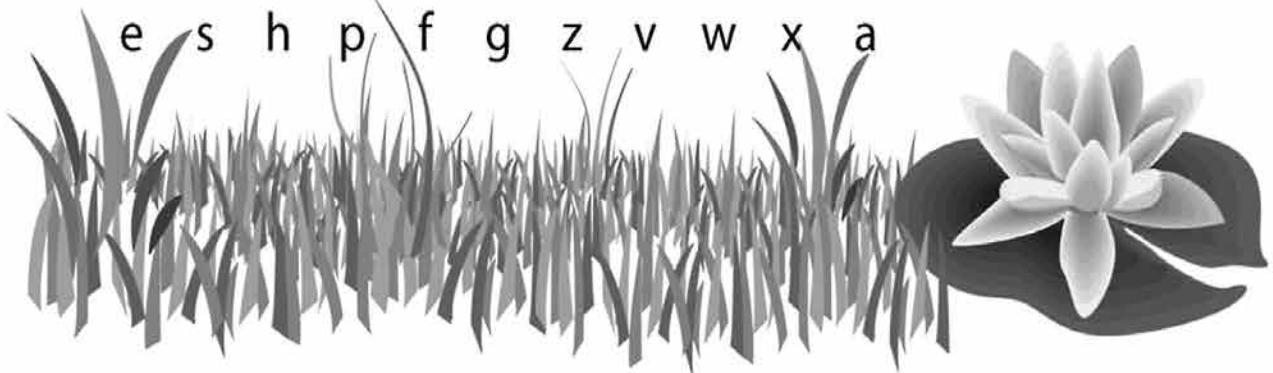
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